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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, dated May 17, 2004, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- Supplemental ADS correcting the filing date in the priority claim, and the zip code of the Assignee; and
- 2) Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.

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The Notice to File Corrected Application Papers objected to Fig. 11 of the formal

drawings as containing excessive text. Applicant points out that the descriptive legends facilitate

the understanding of the application. The same drawings as are of record herein, including the

objected-to Fig. 11, were the same formal drawings already accepted in the parent application,

which has issued as U.S. Patent 6,712,695 (copy attached). The instant application is a

divisional application thereof. Applicant submits that the same formal drawings should be

acceptable in this divisional application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated

with this paper or during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit

Account No. 20-1430. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings contain excessive text. Suitable descriptive legends may be used, or may be required by the Examiner where necessary for understanding of the drawing but should contain as few words as possible (see 37 CFR 1.84(o)). See Figure(s) 11.

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